I claim:

1. A hair conditioning shampoo comprising:

a commercially available shampoo having anionic and nonionic surfactants in aqueous solution with a thickening agent; and

an amount of food grade gelatin equivalent to between 0.5% and 1.5% by weight of the aqueous solution and thickening agent, the gelatin having physical properties of approximately 200 grams bloom; approximately 32 mps viscosity and a pH value of between 4.0 and 7.0, so as to provide both detangling and rejuvenation of dry, brittle hair.

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- 2. A hair conditioning shampoo according to claim 1 and further comprising up to 5% of a preservative agent such as Lanodant DM.
- 3. A hair conditioning shampoo according to claim 1 and further comprising a minor amount of a sheen enhancing agent such as Panthenol.
- 4. A hair conditioning shampoo according to claim 1 wherein the pH value of the gelatin is between 4.5 and 5.8.

5. The method for making a hair conditioning shampoo comprising the steps of: stirring approximately one ounce food grade gelatin, having a 200-250 bloom strength and a pH value of between 4.0 and 7.0 into approximately 16 ounces of water and allowing the solution to rest until it becomes thick;

heating the thickened solution until it liquefies; and

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blending the liquefied gelatin solution into approximately 88 oz. of a commercially available, plain shampoo, such as "Suave Daily Clarifying Shampoo".

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